(e) if not, the reasons for discrimination against the State of Haryana; and

(f) by when a separate channel for Haryana will start functioning?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. From 15th August, 1994, 10 separate satellite based regional language channels (DD-4 to DD-13) came into operation.

(c) There is no such proposal, at present.

(d) Yes, Sir. Such programmes are prepared by Doordarshan Kendra, Delhi.

(e) Does not arise.

(f) There is no such proposal, at present.

Telecast of the Documentary on Shoebullah Khan

2800. SHRI GHUFRAM AZAM: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have not taken steps to televise on national hookup, the documentary on Shoebullah Khan on his forty-sixth death anniversary to be observed on 22nd August, 1994;

(b) whether the documentary was captioned as "Hyderabad-1948(AUG)" and was appreciated by cross section of people;

(c) if so, the facts and details thereof;

(d) whether the producer/director has been assisted to undertake such ventures for bringing out historic events in post-independence era for public; and

(e) if so, the facts thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) Governmnt proposes to retelecast the said documentary on 22nd August, 1994.

(b) and (c) Appreciative mention of this documentary in the national press had come to Government's notice

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

मध्य प्रदेश में ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में विद्युतीकरण

2801. **श्री विनीत सिंह चूडेला:** क्या विद्युत मंत्री 26 जुलाई, 1994 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न सं. 147 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार ने मध्य प्रदेश के गांवों में विद्युतीकरण के लिए विश्व बैंक या किसी अन्य अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय एजेंसी से वित्तीय सहायता प्राप्त करने के लिए याचना की है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा है?

विद्युत मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी.थी. नायडु): (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) उपरोक्त (क) में संदर्भ में, प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता।

Loans by Power Finance Corporation to State and Central Power Agencies

2802. SHRIMATI CHANDRIKA ABHINANDAN JAIN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Power Finance Corporation (PFC) had been extending loans only to the State and the Central Power agencies so far;

(b) if so, the details of the loans advanced to these agencies during the last three years, agency-wise;

(c) whether PFC has recently decided to extend the loan facility to private sector power companies also;

(d) if so, the reasons for deviation in the established policy;

(e) whether the loans will be provided to al the private power companies or the facility will be extended on selective basis;

(f) if so, the details thereof;

(g) whether any guidelines/ conditionalities have been laid down by the Government/PFC in this regard; and

(h) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The Power Finance Corporation (PFC) has so far extended assistance to the State Electricity Boards (SEBs), State Generating Corporations (SGCs) and State Power Departments only.

(b) The details of the loans advanced by PFC to SEBs/SGCs State Power Departments during the last three years are enclosed at Statement. *(See below)*

(c) Power Finance Corporation will consider funding existing power sector companies in the Private Sector provided the necessary resources for the same are made available by multilateral agencies.

(d) The decision was based on the need for diversification of PFC's portfolio structure, bringing in additionality of resources to the power sector, opportunity for co-financing and enhancing PFC's exposure and expertise.

(e) and (f) To start with, the proposal was to restrict such lending to the existing private licencees operating in major cities.

(g) and (h) Details for such financing arrangements have not yet been worked out.

Statement

Details of the loans advanced by PFC during 1991-92, 1992-93 and 1993-94

(Rs in Crores)

S.No.	Borrower	During 1991-92	During 1992-93	During 1993-94
A. STATE ELECTRICITY BOARDS/STATE GOVERNMENTS				
1.	Andhra Pradesh State Electricity Board	138.27	167.84	174.22
2.	Government of Arunachal Pradesh	—	—	—
3.	Bihar State Electricity Board	4.39	2.74	0.48
4.	Gujarat Electricity Board	89.78	19.22	13.29
5.	Haryana State Electricity Board	17.82	9.71	2.45
6.	Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board	10.75	17.17	10.88
7.	Jammu & Kashmir State Electricity Board	—	—	—
8.	Karnataka Electricity Board	102.04	4.07	61.78
9.	Kerala State Electricity Board	12.59	3.31	0.78
10.	Madhya Pradesh Electricity Board	116.83	79.53	92.73
11.	Maharashtra State Electricity Board	24.99	59.34	36.63
12.	Governemnt of Manipur	—	—	2.75
13.	Government of Mizoram	8.13	4.25	5.64
14.	Government of Nagaland	—	—	7.43
15.	Orissa State Electricity Board	13.96	13.96	15.35
16.	Pubjab State Electricity Board	—	—	—
17.	Rajasthan State Electricity Board	3.36	19.45	81.97
18.	Government of Sikkim	4.73	—	—
19.	Tamil Nadu Electricity Board	142.10	66.86	66.76
20.	Uttar Pradesh State Electricity Board	47.19	77.76	26.75
21.	West Bengal State Electricity Board	10.38	3.02	4.58

S.No.	Borrower	During 1991-92	During 1991-93	During 1993-94
22.	Government of Rajasthan	—	3.08	1.48
23.	Government of Haryana	—	7.01	3.38
24.	Government of Himachal Pradesh	—	0.42	0.21
1.	Tenughat Vidyut Nigam Ltd.	68.52	—	—
2.	Karnataka Power Corporation Limited	1.82	—	1.34
3.	Orissa Power Generation Corporation Limited	38.76	24.73	70.51
4.	Uttar Pradesh Rajya Vidyut Utpadan Nigam Limited	—	—	—
5.	West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited	55.00	28.65	25.80
6.	Durgapur Projects Limited	1.57	0.89	0.31
7.	Bihar State Hydroelectric Power Corporation Limited	7.07	—	—
	Total:	920.05	612.97	707.50

राष्ट्रीय ताप विद्युत निगम द्वारा अधिगृहीत किए गए राज्य विद्युत बोर्डों की इकाइयां

2803. **श्री सोमपाल:**
श्री अनन्तराम जायसवाल:
श्री शंकर दयाल सिंह:

क्या **विद्युत** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या राष्ट्रीय ताप विद्युत निगम (एन०एच०पी०सी०) ने विभिन्न राज्य विद्युत बोर्डों की कुछ इकाइयों का अधिग्रहण करने का निर्णय लिया है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं और एन०टी०पी०सी० द्वारा अधिगृहीत की जा रही इकाइयों का ब्यौरा क्या है?

विद्युत मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी०वी० रंगैया नायडू): (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता।

New Power Projects

2804. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received good response to the power policy from both private and public sectors:

(b) if so, whether the new six projects in private sector are likely to achieve financial assistance within a few months;

(c) if so, what are the power projects that will be undertaken during 1994-95;

(d) whether these projects are likely to overcome the power shortage that is existing at present in many States; and

(e) if so, what is the quantum of power generation that will be achieved during 1994-95 and to what extent it will meet the requirements?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The response to encourage private investment in power sector is encouraging. As on date, interest has been expressed in putting up 75 power projects for a total capacity of 32,662 MW involving an investment of Rs. 1,04152 crores.

(b) Some of the projects, which are at advanced stage are likely to achieve financial closure within next few months.

(c) So far no new private project has achieved financial closure and as such it